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APPLICANT : MENTONE, Colette NG et al.
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ART UNIT : 1742
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STATUS LETTER

Sir:

The records of the undersigned indicate that the above identified application should have been taken up for action by the Patent Office. No action, however, has as yet been received. It is respectfully requested that the undersigned be provided with a written communication updating the status of the above identified application.

Respectfully submitted,
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